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Title: **CONNECTOR-PLUG PART FOR AN OPTICAL PLUG-IN CONNECTION,
METHOD FOR CONNECTING A CONNECTOR-PLUG PART TO THE END OF
AN OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE CABLE AND DEVICE FOR CARRYING OUT SAID
METHOD**

BRIEF REQUEST FOR A REFUND

On June 3, 2005, our U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account was mistakenly charged \$ 2,600.00 for excess claims and \$ 360.00 for excess independent claims in a Large Entity Application.

We herewith attach the stamped Filing Receipt, postcard, Preliminary Amendment and Attachment A filed on December 9, 2004, that amends the claims to show only 17 total claims and 2 total independent claims.

We request for a refund of the two amounts for an aggregate total of \$ 2,960.00 to our deposit account no. 14-0112 as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

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